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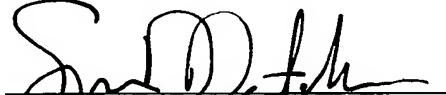
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Dear Sir:

For the Examiner's convenience in reviewing this continuation application, Applicants submit a consolidated PTO Form 1449, listing all references cited during the prosecution of the parent application. The present application is a Continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/358,944, filed July 22, 1999 (Atty. Docket No. ATA-232). All references listed on the enclosed PTO Form 1449 have been previously cited by or submitted to the Office

in the prior application, and, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of the of the references are not enclosed but will be provided upon request.

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